## INSIDE THE PICNIC PARKS.

THERE WERE MIRTH AND MUSIC AND PLENTY OF PEOPLE.

Beckman Hill Ledge Had Its Summer-Night Festival-Employees of Burke Brothers Were Guests of Their Employers-The " Entre Ness" of St. Mary's Library

Beekman Hill Lodge, No. 187, A. O. U. W. held their own festival at Washington Park last night. Those present were composed mostly of the members of the lodge and their friends, and it was a goodly gathering. The grand march was led by Timothy Shea. Besides the regular programme of dancing a little event in the way of a presentation occurred. On behalf of the lodge, Master Workman James T. Mulhern, in a nest little speech, told Charles Halpin and Francis Parker, two of the most active members, that their good work had been appreciated, and he concluded by handing to each of them a

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E. R. Rockwood, Third District Deputy; J. E. Dillon and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pendergrast, James Bill and wife, James T. Mulhern and wife, Miss Rosic Quirk, Wiss Asgue Quirk, Win. Carson, Miss Rosic Quirk, Miss Mague Quirk, Win. Carson, Miss R. Murray, T. Bolger and wife, John Flynn, Thomas Brady and wife, C. J. Halpin and wife, J. W. McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Riley, C. New, D. F. Nolan, P. J. Dunn and wife, J. H. Higman and wife, C. J. Nichols, Miss Emma Brye, James Dougherty and wile, Miss Annie Drady, S. Schlopper and wife, Miss Annie Drady, S. Schlopper and wife, Ms. Page and wife, M. H. Stanton and wife, Arrick Hardiman and wife, John Shea and wife, Indicated the Miss Honora O'Keefe, Mrs. Byrnes, J. E. McLarney and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mulcany, George Kramer snd wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mulcany, George Kramer snd wife, Mr. and Mrs. John McCarly, Francia Parker and family, M. F. Caguey, Charles Raber, Christopher Hooney and wife, Miss Halpin, William Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John Byrne, Mrs. Mary Sarsfield, Miss Nora O Keefe, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hermanns, Mr. Julius Keenan, Lawrence A. Redmond and wife, William A. White, Miss R. Surray, Charles H. Steuerwald and wife, Misthew Boyle, Taomas Smith and wife, Roundsman James E. Dillon and wife, Kulliam Carley and wife, Goorge Smith and wife, Kondsman James E. Dillon and wife, Horles C. Flick and wife, Benjamin J. Braily, Peter Lymdon and wife, Cornelius Ryan and wife, Frank Murray, Frank Moran, Miss Smith, Charles C. Flick and wife, Benjamin J. Braily, Peter Lymdon and wife, George Wendelken, George Smith and wife, William Carley and wife, Miss Barriet Straus, James Rafferty, Mrs. Roche, C. C. Conway and wife, Horley and wife, Mrs. Sarah Molwitz, John J. Quinn, Samuel Nash and wife, Benjamin J. Braily, Peter Lymdon and wife, Bonn Shack and wife, Miss Barriet Straus, James Rafferty, Mrs. Mc. William Savage, Miss Dora Frager, Miss Fasse Loope, L. K. Sweet and wife, Ed Donohue, Miss Annie Keily, William Mensan, S. J. Moore an

Chris. C. Flick, P. M. W.; James T. Mulhera, M. W.; Joseph Bell, Foreman; James F. Seery, Overseer; James A. Smith, Recorder; Denis Keenan, Financier; Edward McGuire, Receiver; B. F. Donohoe, Guide; Lucien W. Failane, Organist; Joseph Brophy, L. W.; O. W. Fagan, O. W.; Dr. J. A. Smith, Medical Examiner. BURKE BROTHERS' EMPLOYEES.

The employees of Burke Brothers, of Madi son street, were the guests of their employers, Thomas J. and James E. Burke, at Sulzer's Harlem River Park and Casino last night. Quite a large crowd was present, chiefly of young people. The grand march was led by Chris J. Fortman and Miss Katie Jordan, assisted by Jas, W. Deevy and Miss Neilie Connolly. Nellie Connolly.

At different times during the evening a

large number of associations, among them the Michael J. Casey Association, the Friendly Circle Literary Union and the Timothy D. Sullivan Association, called and were entertained by the Reception Commit-tee, of which August J. Umlauff was Chair-

Among those present were:

Thomas J. Burke and wife, James E. Burke and wife, Henry Stemmer and wife, Joseph Kellener and wife, Jenery Stemmer and wife, Joseph Kellener and wife, James B. Sheehan, Miss Callahan, Miss E. Lewis, James B. Sheehan, Miss Susie Peck, David Levy, Miss Barah Rosenberg, Max Goldwater and wife, John Coyle and wife, Jeremiah Cronin, Miss Glesson, Miss Katle Stang, Miss Bergin, William Lennon, Miss Neille Lennon, Miss Ema Wallace, Henry Shade, Miss Katle Murdock, Cos. P. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. John Manon, Mr. and Mrs. James Connolley, Miss Neille Connolley, Missa Tessie Burns, Miss Lizzie Burns, Samuel Lewis and wife, Mrs. John Burke, Lawrence Creeby and wife, Mrs. John Burke, Lawrence Creeby and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Howard, of the Lee Avenue Academy of Music; Miss Julia McGawen, Lawrence Weave, Miss Annie Dignan, George Hurst, John J. Nevins and wire, James Ginna, Miss Kate Ginna, Bernard Boylan, Miss Bella Dusenbury, John F. Beagan, Miss Nelle Bearan, Dennis F. Mahoney, Miss Lizzie Peak, Michael J. Jennings, Miss Mamie Brady, Michael C. Summers, Miss Mary Murray, William H. Mead, Miss Kate McCann, August Umlauff and wife, Dennis Delaney, Miss Kate Delaney, Charles Radell, William Adler, Miss Frances Bencer, Joseph Dewey, Miss Kate Dewey, Miss Masgie Sullivan, Patrick J. McKeon, Miss Ada Hoyl. Among those present were:

ENTRE NOUS. The social element of St. Mary's Library Association, who call themselves the Entre Nous, gave their annual picuic at the Empire City Colosseum yesterday, afternoon and evening. Dancing commenced at 3 o'clock, the orchestra under the leadership of Prof. Boswald.

It was not until evening, however, that the regular dancing order was given. Shortly after 9 o'clock the grand march was formed, with Edward C. Connell and his pretty sister, Miss Mamie, in the lead.

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J. F. Cunnosky, John F. McCann, Miss Kate Spink,
George Silverberg, Louis Hoffman, Miss Kate
Philan, Joseph Connell, Miss Katie Connell, John
Philan and sister. Edward Scully, Miss Turner,
Edward Lottus, Frank J. Davis, Miss McQuade,
Miss Annie O'Neil, D. J. Roche and wife, J. F. Barry,
John W. Reynold, Miss Flannagan, Thomas Martin,
Miss Mamie Mattin, M. J. Burke, Miss Elia Quinn,
James Dunn, Miss Rose Dunn, Charles Farley and
wife, George Friend, Miss Hyan, Joseph Carey, Miss
Julia Foley, S. J. Foley, John J. McNulty, Mrs. Martia,
McNulty, Miss Annie McNulty, Win. F. Crowley,
Miss Maggie Crowley, Bernaro Downing and wife,
George Friend, Miss Maggie Everard, Michael
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Sophia Gunter, Miss Sadle Carr, John H. Whitworth, Frank Murray, Miss Haley, C. G. McCartoy, Miss Cosgrove, Wm. Desmond, Miss Simpson,
L. J. Friel, Miss St. Clair, J. Conners, Miss McCluskey, Thomas McCabe, Miss McDonouga,
Michael Kepple, Miss Hannah Turner, George
Cox and wife, Charles Spiegel, k. J. Scully, Miss
Gray, J. J. Colline, Miss H. Scully, M. F. Donovan, Miss L'zgie Rush.

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Coming Events. Annual picnic of the attaches of Madison Square Garden, at Empire City Colomeum, this (Saturday evening, Sept. 1.

The third annual afternoon and evening pionic of Cooper Post will be held at Washington Park, Seventieth street and East River, on Tuesday,

Bept. 9, Invitation summer-night's festival of the James C. Cosgrove Association, at Wendel's Lion Park, One Hundred and Eighth street and Ninth avenue, Wednesday evening, Sept. 19.



PATERSON'S BASEBALL TREAT.

The Game Between the "Evening World' Newsles and Delaware Juniors.

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the two games of baseball between Tur EVENING WORLD'S Newsboy nine and the Delaware Juniors, which are to be played on the Olympic Baseball Grounds in Paterson

Monday morning and afternoon. The morning game will be called at 10 o'clock.

The prospect of these games has caused quite a stir in Paterson baseball circles and the baseball cranks who are quite numerous there, are looking for a rare treat. They will not be disappointed, either, for the teams are very evenly matched and play extraordinarily good ball, as was clearly shown by their recent contest the first of the series, in Paterson.

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The results of the games on Monday will decide the superiority of one nine or the other for this season, and all Paterson will take a day off to see the contests.

The games will form no inconsiderable part of the celebration of Labor Day.

### CONEY ISLAND JOCKEY CLUB.

The Autumn Meeting Begins To-Day with a

Splendid Programme. The autumn final six weeks of racing under th State law begins to-day at Sheepshead Bay, with a programme that fully sustains the reputation of the Coney Island Jockey Club in its promised ex-cellence. It is understood that the betting troubles between the representative of the club, James Kelly and the Alliance Bookmakers' Club will in no wise affect the betting. Twenty-five or more bookmakers not members of the Alliance Club will to business, and besides there will be the auction and mutuel pools-the latter straight and place-The conditions and probable starters are as follows:

Little Minch..... 

G. H. Kernaghan's b. c. Judge Murray, by Ten sirock.
J. B. Haggin's ch. f. Yum Yum, by Onondaga.
M. Young's br. f. Hypocrite, by Longfellow.
A. J. Cassaut's br. c. Now or Never, by Stratford.
P. Lordiard, ir, 'sch. c. Kaiedoscope, by Mortemer,
Melbourne Stable's b. c. The Lion, by Billet.
J. B. Haggin's b. c. Guarantee, by Sensation
G. T. Perry & Co.'s ch. c. Long Branch, by Onon-

Little Jim, 196, and Grusser, 100, are also canonic approvable starters.

Third Race,—Sapphire Stakes for two-year-olds which have not won 8500 up to time of entry, a sweep stakes at 850 each, \$15 forfest; with \$1,250 added, of which \$250 to the second, the third to receive \$190 out of the stakes; winners after the stakes closed Aug. 15, of \$1,000, at b. of \$2,000, 7 lb.; of \$3,000, 12 lb. externations which have not run second for a race of \$2,000 allowed 7 lb.; three-quarters of a mile.

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D. Gideon's br. c. Radiant, by Reform.

1. Pryor & Co. 'e br. c. Madssone, by Vandervill.

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2. Maggin's ch. f. Sonome, by Longfield.

2. Lorillard, ir.'s br. g. Khafton, by Pizarro.

3. Harris & Uo.'s b. g. Sintram, by Duke of Marris. 

Ohioago Stable's ch. c. Terra Cotta, 4, by Harry Chicago Stable's ch. c. Terra Cotta, s, by Harry Cf Fallon.

O'Fallon.

Preakness Stable's b. c. Beividere, 4, by Billet. 120

Preakness Stable's b. Rurus, 6, by Rolus. 118

W. Lakeland's b. c. Dunboyce, 4, by Uncas. 107

D. A. Honis's b. g. Lelex, aged, by Leiapa. 107

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McGleiland & Co. 'sb. c. Badge, 3, by Ill Used. 106

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Melbourne Stable's ch. c. Gallutet, 3, by Falacto. 9

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Dwyer Bros. b. b. Inspector B., 5, by Knquirer.
P. Lorillard, jr.'s gr., Cambyse, 4, by Mortemer.
C. T. Perry's ch. c. Little Jim, 3, by Kolus.
J. J. Carter's b. b. Ayetino, aged, by Aramis.
G. B. Morrie's ch. c. Barrister, 3, by Bramble.

Chicago Stable's ch. b. Eigin, 5, by Springbok.

Auburndale hiable's ch. f. O'Falecs, 4, by Harry
O'Fallon. O'Falion
Gabard's b. g. Volunteer, 4, by Mortemer. 11
B. Haggun's b. f. Prose, 2, by Onondago. 11
Tucker's ch. g. Roi d'Or. 4, by Rayon d'Or. 11 Racing will begin at 2 P. M.

Caught to a Trap. [From the Cartoon.] Landlady (sesside boarding-house)—Hasn't young Simpkins proposed yet?

Daughter—No, he hasn't.

Landlady—How long has he been here ? Daughter—Three weeks. Landlady—He thinks this is a six-dollar-a-week

Daughter—Yes, I know he does from something he said.
Landlady—Weil, I'll make his bill out at \$20 a week. That will bring him to terms. Capt. Black to Preach Tariff Reform. Capt. W. P. Black, the Chicago lawyer who so

ably defended the condemned Anarchists, is in the city and will speak at Cooper Union to-night in Capt. Binck says the graves of the Anarchists

are constantly bestrewn with flowers and are visited daily by many who either sympathize with them or regret the course of the authorities in executing them.

Answers to Correspondents. F. H. M., Boston.—Labor Day, Sept. 3, is a legal holiday in this State. The Custom-House is open between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning of that day fur the cutrance and clearance of vessels.

M. J. I.—A 25-cent piece of 1858 without arrows and without rays is quoted by dealers at 25, and they will pay from \$2 to \$5 for it. A 25-cent piece with arrows and with rays is worth but a few cents more than its face value.

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E. D. McL.—The best way to learn to become an engineer is to obtain a position as fireman under some capable engineer and to study dynamics and the steam engine from some rudimentary work. When you feel qualified to run an engine go to Police Headquarters. 300 Mulberry street, and make application for an engineer's certificate. Upon passing the regulation examination you will receive the papers empowering you to take charge or a steam engine.

which supply the market outside of individual dealers, who count much less, as their capacity for storing coal is far less than that of the companies. These are the Lehigh Valley, Reading, Jersey Central, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Delaware and Hudson, Pennsylvania Coal Company, and the Pennsylvania Railroad. The Lehigh Coal Mining Company is a part of the Read-ing system.

of these companies, some have wished to run up the price of coal, and the others have been disinclined to do so. Since July there have been two advances in the price of coal,

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In 1824 the greatest aggregate output of coal was from the Lehigh Valley and amounted to 365 tons. One of the oldest companies in the city has in its office the report for that year, a litle paper pamphlet. Some of the daring calculators of that day made bold to assert that in course of time there would be a demand and supply of 100,000 tons! At this time there were still many of those intelligent beings who thought that you might as well try to use stone as coal for burning purposes. These calculators were looked on as wild, visionary fellows with a reckless sort of arithmetic.

arithmetic.

This year the output of coal from the several points of supply will be over thirty-six millions of tons, and the demand is more then equal to this enormous mining product.

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In July alone there were 3,350,000 tons of coal mined! The demand, however, has been so great that the stock at tidewater was diministed 150,000 tons.

One reason for this continual increase in the coal output of each year is, of course, in the increase of the population; but another equally good reason, is the general introduction of base-burning stoves. When farmers introduce this stove, which burns day and night and keeps their houses warm all the time, they drop burning wood. In one of the back country towns a farmer tried to buy a cord of wood and couldn't get it. The dealer didn't have it on hand. He said he could get it, but that the man who felled his own timber bought con!. No one who ever begins to burn anthracite coal ever gives it up, it is so clean and so effective for heating. The demand from the West for coal is constantly increasing, too,

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"We produce all the coal that is wanted," said the President of one of the oldest coal companies, one which numbers John Jacob Astor, Logrand B. Cannon, David Dows, James Roosevelt and others of that class of men in its Board of Managers. "Yet some of these people say to us: 'You ought to produce all the coal you can.' We are not chartered to mine more coal than the people want. Where could we store it? Till it is wanted, it can't stay in a better place than where the Lord put it.

"Our company has about the largest storing capacity of any, and our piling ground will accommodate 600,000 tons. Why, have you any idea of how far a million tons could be stored up Broadway, beginging at the Battery, and letting it lie as deep as to the second-story windows? Somebody who is fond of these calculations has found out that it would run up to Fourteenth street.

"The rates this year are about what they were in 1882 and 1887. You've got to take into account what is done by the companies to get the coal and bring it here. The anthracite region is at the nearest point 150

BUY YOUR COAL RIGHT OFF.

TOU MIGHT EVEN HAVE BOUGHT IT SOONER
TO ADVANTAGE.

There Have Been Two Advances Since July and Will Be Another Before October—
These Facts Stand Out in an Interesting Stery of the Growth of the Enormous Coal Demand and Supply.

The wise man isfhe who lays in his supply of winter coal in the spring or early summer. It takes up no more room in his cellar than it does at any other time, and he purchases it without the two or three advances in price which will be tacked on before October.

The price at present is \$2.23 a ton for buckwheat coal, the lowest grade, and \$4.65 a ton for stove and chesinut coal, which is the highest grade of coal for domestic purposes. As prices range, \$3.75 cught to be about the average cost of coal per ton.

There are seven great coal companies which supply the market outside of individual dealers, who count much less, as their coal is not so much a field for speculation on the part of individual dealers since this year dand buy as square to store his coal is not so much a field for speculation on the part of individual dealers since this year dand buy as square to store his coal is not so much a field for speculation on the part of individual dealers and call in the way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal is coal way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal is not on the part of individual dealers and coal in the way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal is not so much additional call in the way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal in the call in the call in the way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal in the call in the

this very difficulty of storing it stands in the way of accumulating very large amounts. A man can't go and buy a square to store his coal in. A coal-yard is an expensive sort of thing. It is large, it must be fenced in, and there must be men to watch it."

The fact which stands out prominently is that it pays to lay in one's coal early in the season, as already, since July, there have been two advances in the price, and another is expected before the lat of October.

In fact, under the pressure of an unusually heavy demand, the wholesale rates on coal have already been advanced 10 cents per ton on grate or broken, and 15 cents per ton on egg and chestnut and stove sizes.

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Mr. Williams, of Williams & Peters, said this morning that the cause of the advance was attributable to the short supply, resulting from the long strike in the Lehigh region

Freight rates have advanced on the rail 10 cents a ton, and the supply in this market is materially affected by a lack of cars. There is no change in the boat rates from Port Liberty and Elizabethport to this harbor.

bor.

The small advance in cargo prices does not yet materially affect the retail market rates. Retail dealers are now drawing on supplies purchased at summer figures, and wholesalers are unable to fill old orders with anything like promptness.

### BRIGHT BITS OF CHILD TALK.

Sayings of the Sages and Humorists of the Future.

A little boy, disputing with his sister re cently, exclaimed, "It's true, for ma says so and if ma says so, it is so, if it ain't so."

The Danger of Washing. A little girl had been playing in the street until she had become pretty well covered with dust. In trying to wash it off she didn't use water enough to prevent the dust rolling up in little balls upon her arms. In her trouble she applied to her brother, a little older than herself, for a solution of the mystery. It was explained at once—to his satisfaction at least. "Why, sis, you're made of dust, and if you don't stop you'll wash yourself all away!" This opinion, coming from an elder brother, was decisive, and the washing was discontinued.

A very quick child made su observation to her governess before me the other day, which had a great deal of truth in it. "How is it, my dear," inquired the lady, 'that you do not understand this simple thing?" "I do not know, indeed," she answered, with a perplexed look; "but I sometimes think I have so many things to learn that I have not time to understand."

The Use of Bread. At one of the customary school examina-

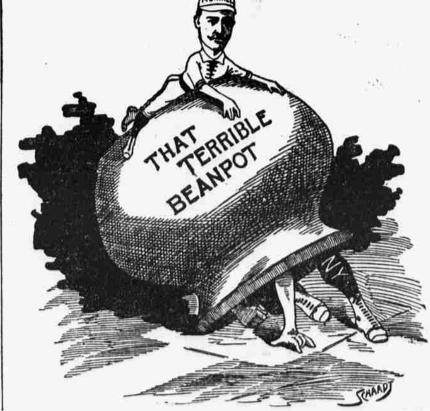
tions an urchin was asked: "What is the chief use of bread?" To which he replied, with an archness that implied what a simpleton you must be to ask such a question:
"To spread butter on."

Two Kinds of Dust.

A little girl in our Sunday-school, who had been pulling her doll to pieces during the week, was asked by her teacher: "What was Adam made of?"—"Dust," replied the little girl. "And what was Eve made of?"—"Saw-dust," was the answer. THE GIANTS' LIGHT UNDER A BEANPOT.

But Our Boys Succeeded Yesterday in Partly Escaping From Under That Boston Utensil

From THE EVENING WORLD'S Sporting Edition.



### DRAMATIC NEWS IN SEASON.

SOME THINGS PLAY-GOERS MAY EXPECT IN THE COMING MONTHS.

The Usual Exedus of Travelling Combinations to Take Place-A Superabundance of Applicants for Stage Positions-General and Interesting Gossip of Actors, Actresses and Managers.

The upper part of Broadway will be relieved of a large portion of its theatrical frequenters on Monday, when at least thirty combinations, which have been rehearsing in the city, begin their work "on the road." The leading men and soubrettes in their last year's successful garbs, who have been monopolizing the thoroughfares, say good-by to-night and start out with every hope of not seeing New York again until the season is over. They seem prepared to fight against political parades and campaign enthusiasm. The fight is generally a hard one.

Miss Lilla Vane, who was a member of Miss Clara Morris's company last season, is to play the part of Olive Gray in "A Legal Wreck" at the Madison Square Theatre, beginning Sept. 10. Miss Boucicault will in all probability be given a comedy part in one of Mr. Gillette's companies. Miss Bouci-cault is not strong enough for Olive Gray.

There is every possibility, by the bye, of a company going out shortly under the direction of Dion Boucicault, of which organization Miss Louise Thorndyke will be a member. This company, it is said, will play six of Boucicault's pieces at the first-class theatres. The plays to be given are such works as "The Colleen Bawn," "Arrah-na-Pogue," "The Shaughran," "The Flying Scud" and "The Jilt."

"I would like to see free trade in this country for a few minutes," said Thomas H. Davis, manager of "The Stowaway" company, yesterday. "I have just imported a small quantity of English printing which cost me \$130 in London. Uncle Sam charges me \$44 duty on this shipment. This brings the cost of the paper up to 11 cents a sheet. An American lithographer would charge only seven cents per sheet for better work. I shall have it duplicated here, you can bet."

Young T. D. Frawley is to play the part of the ardent Dering to the Barbara of Miss Es-telle Clayton in "The Quick or the Dead," at the Fifth Avenue Theatre next month.

Said an uptown manager yesterday: "I have never before received so many applications from unemployed actors as I did this season. The supply simply seems to be inexhaustible. All that we need now are a few schools to turn out a couple of hundred more, then the big mercantile houses will have a splendid opportunity of securing some nice, cneap clerks," . . .

The new theatre which is being built in Rochester, and which will be known as the Lyceum, will be ready Oct. 8. The house will be opened by the New York Lyceum Theatre Company with "The Wife." Mr. Frohman's organization is to get a nice cosy little sum of money over and above the regular figures for appearing there.

Manager E. E. Rice will feel tolerably important to-night. Dixey opens his third travelling season with "Adonis" at Asbury Park, and "The Pearl of Pekin" will be revealed in Brooklyn. Mr. Rice yesterday received a most encouraging report of the condition of "Evangeline," which to-night plays in St. Paul. . . .

News has been received in the city that Augustin Daly has finished his melodrama which is to go to Niblo's Garden in November. He has already booked an entire season for the play, which will go as far West as Chicago.

"The Kaffir Diamond." Louis Aldrich's romantic play will be produced at the Broadway Theatre Sept. 11, a day later than originally intended. The extra day thus gained will be devoted to a dress rehearsal.

John Hamlin, of Chicago, left for that city Thursday night, leaving the metropolitan field to his friendly rival. "Uncle Dick" Hooley. Mr. Hooley spends his summers in Stamford, Conn. but he is very often to be seen upon theatrical Broadway. He has not yet wearied of describing his newly decorated theatre in Chicago, which is said to resemble the Broadway of this city.

Vasili Verestchagin, the Russian painter who arrived here last Sunday, and who is to give an exhibition of paintings at the rooms of the American Art Association next month, has been the cynosure of theatrical eyes for the last few days. The "light comedians" and "leading juveniles" have been wondering who he was. M. Verestchagin says he has an extremely realistic picture showing the mutilation of Russian troops by Turkish soldiers. No one can say that this subject is fascinatingly breezy.

Harry Tansy, a genial comedian, whose first success was made in Pittacus Green in "Hazel Kirke," was engaged to appear in Haller and Hart's farce comedy "Later On." Haller and Harr's farce comedy Later On.

Mr. Tansy, as soon as he got to rehearsal,
found that the part had too much singing in
it, and resigned. "My voice will give out in
the middle of the season." he said prophetically, "and then where should I be?" Mr.
Tansy is wise in his generation.

John F. Harley, of Duncan Harrison's John F. Harley, of Duncan Harrison's
"Paymaster" company was in the city yesterday. He says that Mrs. O'Sullivan
Dimpfel, the Baltimorean society lady, now
playing in "The Paymaster," has really developed dramatic talent within the past ten
days. She is to be seen in this city, Sept. 17,
at the Star Theatre.

menced at 8.50, the march being led by Frendent Boland, with Miss Jennie Johnson.

Among those present were Mr. Wm. Ker and Miss Grace Gillon, Mr. Frank Hodges, Miss Maggie Quick, Mr. Alfred Denike, Miss Minnie Lydecker, Mr. Bert Berry, Miss Lydia Jones, Mr. George Snyder, Miss Alice Andrews, Mr. William Quick, Miss Msmie Simpson, Mr. James Furgeson, Miss Kille Bremen, Mr. James Futgeson, Miss Kille Ormond, Mr. Frank Noirjean and Miss Sadie Keller.

BUSINESS NOTICES. FADED HAIR RECOVERS ITS YOUTHFUL color and softness by the use of PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM.
PARKER'S GING'S R TONIC cures inward pains.

THE HEIR'S HEIR.

Ho is that charming creature, Avenel?"

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Henry Percival was very proud. He in the provided the provided that the form. The them? "The the was a great and horrified cry of "The turned sagn

you for so inestimable a gift as my life."

"I am not sware. Mrs. Banvard." he said.
"that I am entitled to any gratitude. I was simply fortunate enough to be the only one to rescue you."

"Will you give me your arm, Mr. Percival?
I have a fancy to argue that point with you."
She took his arm, dismissing her servant, and they walked together on the sands for half an hour. You will not imagine, if you have the least faith in psychology, that Henry could feel the thrill of that little hand upon his arm for thirty minutes and communicate no sense of it to her. She took his arm, dismissing her servant, and they walked together on the sands for half an hour. You will not imagine, if you have the least faith in psychology, that Henry could feel the thrill of that little hand upon his arm for thirty minutes and communicate no sense of it to her.

"Did you say her name was Banvard?" asked Mrs, Percival of ner son.
"Banvard—yes. Do you know the name?" exclaimed Henry, in surprise.

Mrs, Percival was silent a few moments. By and by she said, suddenly: "Henry, I am going to tell you something that I had ingrankness. They were married."

You can soon ascertain for yourself."
"Henry, you surprise me! Mary Banvard—yes, that is the name in the will. Your mother is my late husband's heir, in case I marry again."

"I should marry me, then, Isabel?"
"I should marry the heir's heir, and so keep possession of my property. Quite a speculation that would be."
"And I love you utterly."
"And I love you, in spite of your absurd price, Henry Percival. I have loved you all along."
And she gave him her hand, with bewitch-ing frankness. They were married.

NEWSY SPORTING NOTES.

The Action of the New Amateur Union Likely to Breed a Great Storm.

The amateur weight putter, C. A. J. Queckberner, is not pleased with the action of the new Amateur Union in squelching the N. four A.'s autumn championship after many of the athletes had trained for the contests announced. "Queck" thinks the action should have been deferred a month at least, and is half inclined to believe the old association can get legal redress. The Manhattans are saying little, but the managers held a meeting last night, and some strong move will probably be made shortly by them. Walter Storm and the other lawyers in the club will not see the cherry diamond walked on if there is any-thing illegal in the Union's last resolution.

Dick Toner, the dog fancier, has just come Dick Toner, the dog fancier, has just come back to town after witnessing the recent Topsy-Dick fight at Navy Island, Canada, twenty miles from Buffalo. Mahoney, of Rochester, owned Topsy, and Yank Sullivan, of Syracuse, had Dick. The battle was at twenty-eight pounds, Toner says Mahoney's dog had enough poison on him to kill a regiment, and Topsy's owner wanted to waive washing. By Toner's advice, Sullivan had Topsy washed with potash water and most of the poison was gotten out.

"The referee was all Mahoney," says Toner, and Topsy's bandler was allowed to deliberately step on Dick and do anything else he saw fit. The battle was given a draw after two hours and eight minutes in the pit, during which there were five "scratches" on a side. Topsy died thirty minutes after.

Next racing season the public will wonder how it ever got slong without the instanta-neous photographing of close finishes. What is needed now is electric timing.

A swimming festival for the benefit of Frank Pinck, the teacher at Sand & Koenig's baths, foot of Fifty-fifth street, East River, will be given on Monday, Sept. 3, Sports commence at 2 p. M.

A half dozen sports were comparing hat-sizes in an uptown resortlast night. Strangs, but 6% is the fighter's number. Mace, Coburn, Chambers, Edwards, Dooney Har-ris and a lot more had heads requiring hats

What a thing it would be if John L, only would brace up and get in shape. If he has the will he has the physique. Over-training never marred his powers.

Conley and Joe McAuliffe ought to make a good fight, and McAuliffe will have to show up in pretty near first-rate form to win handily. How black the Australian Jackson will be to the white champions pretty soon!

Parson Newman's old church, at Madison avenue and Forty-fifth street, has begun to come down under the hands of workmen who are preparing the site for the new \$200,000 house for the Manhattan Athletic Club. P. J. Lauretzen was successful in the competition for building plans among the architects.

Comedians at the Bat. Harry Dixey, Gus Heckler, De Wolf Hopper, Digby Bell and others are arranging a baseball game between well-known comedians on the stage and the newspaper fraternity. Each of the daily papers is to be represented on the nine. President
Day has given the committee the use of the Polo
Grounds for Friday afternoon, Sept. 8. The affair
is being arranged for the benefit or Mr. Carl
Rankin, late end man with Dockstader's Minstreis,
who is dying of consumption at his home in Philadelphia.

delphia.

All the minstrel, operatic and theatrical professionals are taking interest in the game. The comedians' nuse will probably be made up of De Wolf Hopper, Digby Bell, Frank Wilson, Henry E. Dizey, Jimmy Powers, Billy Hoey, Charles Reed, Eady French and Gus Bruno, Manager John

Vain Regrets.



river, and had left a memorial tree.

Tired Swazey (the tramp, discovering it)—By
Jinks! I wisht l'd struck dat tree fore der fruit
dried up so!

Wrestler Roeber Wants a Fair Show

I, Ernest Roeber, wish to state in your valuable paper, that at Miner's Bowery

Theatre last season, I accepted William Muldoon's challenge to throw all comers in fifteen minutes, or forfeit \$50.

When Mr. Muldoon saw me he spoke of making different arrangements, and I told him that there could be no different arrangements made. Thereupon, the champion answered, "I will fix you, Dutchman;" and he kept his word. I remained my time and did not receive the \$50 that was agreed upon.

upon.
Seeing the challenge at the London Theatre, where Mr. Muldoon offers to throw all comers in lifteen minutes, or forfeit \$25, I tried to show the public again that he could not throw me. I want to give him thirty minutes, but he will not give me a show. Yours truly,

Ernest Roeber. Champion of New York.
New York, Aug. 31.

"The World Moves,"

Maintained Galileo, when his tormentors racked him for advocating the true system of Copernicus, Certain fol-lies hold out, however, against the illumination of dis-covery and superience. There are hosts of people who, because they have adopted certain principles, continu-The Octagen's Sociable.

A very successful sociable was tendered to the Octagons, of the Ninth Ward, at the residence of Miss Grace Gillon, Ninth avenue. Dancing commenced at 8.30, the march being led by President Boland, with Miss Jennie Johnson.

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